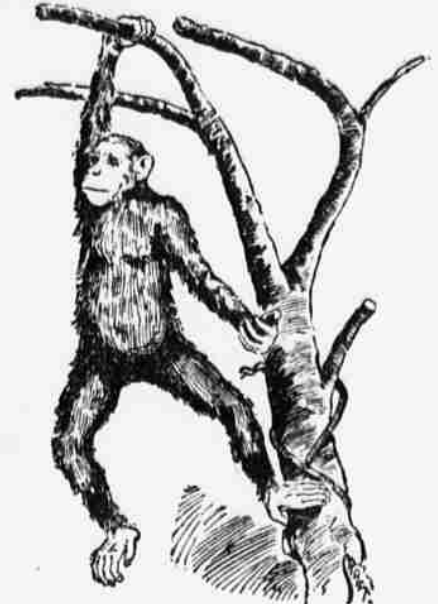


## THE UNVEILING OF CROWLEY

IT WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE MUSEUM, IN THE PARK, TO-NIGHT.

Mayor Grant Will Be There and a Host of Other Dignitaries.—Mr. Crowley's Real Name, as It Appears on the Invitation Cards.—The Dead Chimpanzee, as He Is Set Up and as He Was Measured.

Evolutionists claim with much reason that there is a missing link in the descent of man from the higher class of the monkey family, and in his lecture, lately published in THE EVENING WORLD, Dr. Vanderwyde pointed out that just in proportion to the encephalization of the monkey's tail was the growth and strength of his brain.



One of the noblest of these improved though curtailed monkeys was the late Mr. Crowley, of Central Park. There was not the slightest hindrance to his sitting down, while Dr. Gotthel and Spitzka reported, after an autopsy, that the brain of the deceased showed a degree of development only second to that of man, and more perfect than the brain of an idiot.

Mr. Crowley's taxidermized person will be placed on exhibition this evening at the Museum of Natural History, the occasion of the formal opening of the Museum to the public during hours which the working people can devote to scientific study and pleasant enjoyment.

Mr. Crowley is his own monument, so to speak, but he will, to future generations, be the mark denoting the advancement of the Museum to the place of a real public educational institution.

A recent biographer of Mr. Crowley, after long and patient research, was only able to say that "there is no positive evidence to show that he (Crowley) was actually born, or whether, like Topsy, he 'grew'd.'"

There was indubitable evidence that he was of some branch of the ancient and highly respectable chimpanzee family of Africa, but further than that no one could say, for the very first he maintained deep silence as to his identity and was content to die, as he had lived for four years in Central Park, as plain "Mr. Crowley."

But delving in musty books and papers Clerk Wallace has at last solved the mystery. He has established beyond a peradventure the identity of Mr. Crowley with *Anthropus troglodytes*.

This is the name which appears on the cards of invitation, some four hundred in number, which have been issued for a reception to be given this evening at the Museum in connection with the unveiling of the statue of Mr. Crowley.

The reception will be a swell affair, for Mayor Grant will be there, and Judge Draper and William E. Dodge. The Vanderbilts will be represented by Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Dr. Deane, Dr. O. Mills, Morris K. Jessup, Dr. C. G. Conklin, Supt. Conklin, Gen. H. C. Conklin, Supt. Conklin, a number of the dignitaries of the educational department of many cities of this State and teachers in attendance on the Normal College session.

Prof. A. S. Bickmore has prepared an address for the occasion. It will be delivered in the lecture-room at the Museum. Its topic will be "Coal and Petroleum"—not a very relevant subject, to be sure, but calculated to inform the mind. It will be illustrated, and the Citizens' West Side Improvement Association will hear it in a body, after paying their respects to Mr. Crowley.

Mr. Crowley will be assisted at the reception by several noblemen and remote kindred, including Mr. Brown Howler, of Brazil; Mr. More Money, of Java; Mr. Grand Galago, of East Africa; Mr. Avari, of Madagascar; and the Misses Diana Monkey and Urcene Howler, of Liberia.

Mr. Crowley will receive callers in the attitude depicted in the illustration above. The complacent smile on his handsome countenance is due to the consciousness that he is the acknowledged leader of the 400 in

## the Museum collection of monkeys, the finest collection in the world.

This is a great distinction, when it is considered that Mr. Crowley is the only animal collection as the register shows. It is almost as great a triumph for him as that achieved two years ago, when Mr. Barnum made a proposition to Supt. Conklin, whereby Mr. Crowley was to become an attraction of the menagerie of the former, who was to pay \$5,000 down and \$5,000 for every year of Mr. Crowley's life, up to five years.

Old admirers, lovers and carping critics have joined in saying that Taxidermist Jones Richardson has made Mr. Crowley look as natural as life, and the devoted manipulator of skins as proud as a boy with a pair of new boots.

Mr. Crowley was ambidextrous, and while the rehabilitated chimpanzee hangs by his right hand to a branch, his left is curled and it will be placed a coconut, which he may throw at some one, or may crack on the tree trunk and eat.

The taxidermized animal represents a deal of labor and careful study. Mr. Richardson worked on him every day for seven weeks, and the job would be cheap at \$200. Preparatory to the work Mr. Richardson had studied the living Crowley with careful eyes, and after death had claimed him he made exact measurements of every part. Crowley's chest measured 28 1/2 inches; depth of chest, 6 1/2 inches; girth at the waist, 28 inches; length of trunk, 32 inches; length from head to foot, 52 inches; length of leg, 18 1/2 inches; length of arm, 32 1/2 inches.

As he hangs on the tree he measures 73 inches from tip to toe, and when his joints were straightened Mr. Crowley, standing on terra firma, might have reached a coconut from a branch 6 1/2 feet in the air. Before removing the skin, Mr. Richardson made plaster casts of Mr. Crowley's members and a bust of the late lamented will be sent to each of the public museums and natural history collections of the country. The bust will be articulated by Prof. Ward at Rochester, and will be returned to grace another department of the collection at the Museum, under Prof. J. A. Allen, curator of mammals and birds.

Mr. Crowley, as now seen, is mounted on a pedestal of polished cherry, and he is the finest specimen of his kind in the world. Letters of regret at their inability to be present at the reception have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt, of the Cincinnati Zoo, and from Mr. Chimpanzee, of the Philadelphia collection, of whom are playing on season contracts. Miss Kitty O'Brien, the affianced of the late Mr. Crowley, is so indisposed, owing to her long-continued mourning for Mr. Crowley, that she will be obliged to remain at her home in Central Park. These four are the only living contrivements of Mr. Crowley in America.

But Mr. Crowley, who is the nucleus about which Mr. Richardson hopes to gather a beautiful group of chimpanzees, will be found to-night at the left of the entrance to the birdroom at the Museum.

**Miss Hutchins's Kidney Accident.**  
Miss Alice Hutchins, the beautiful daughter of Treasurer Horace A. Hutchins, of the Standard Oil Company, who was thrown from her horse while riding in Central Park yesterday afternoon, is reported at the Windsor Hotel as seriously ill. She is suffering from fractures of the left arm and left arm and severe nervous prostration. Her friends are unable to account for the accident.

**Kimball Post.**  
Past Commandant of Dix's Post, assisted by his staff, installed the following officers: E. A. Kimball Post, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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**Steckler Association Election.**  
In the Steckler Association, at 83 East Fourth street, the following officers have been elected for the ensuing year: N. D. Nagelsmith, President; Herman Bloyer, First Vice-President; Junior Vice-President, J. M. Smith; Chairman, J. H. Hassell; Officer of the Day, E. A. Carter; Officer of the Guard, J. H. Edlin; Adjutant, George D. Lowe; Quartermaster, W. H. Dix.

**The Merry Ten.**  
Harlem has a new social organization, the Merry Ten, which will hold its first reception at Brady's Hall, 135 and 137 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Jan. 16. The officers are: President, C. W. Haddon; Vice-President, Joseph Rostow; Secretary, H. O'Brien, Jr.; Treasurer, James Loughran.

**Sunkin.**  
[From Punch.]  
Pleekin' done, and promptly! Here's a sample, taken from a letter written by a young fellow, who, too long-hauling statesman, an example by that short, sharp half hour at Suakin!

**Coming Events.**  
Annual invitation ball of the Athletes' League, at Nelson Hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 13. Installation ball, New York Lodge, No. 10, I. O. G. T., Monday evening, Jan. 14, at Arlington.

**Annual ball of Court Good Hope, No. 7050, A. O. F., Flynn's Hall, 1034 Tenth avenue, Monday evening, Jan. 21.**

**Beneficial League, at Wendell's Assembly Rooms, 344 West Fourteenth street, Thursday, Jan. 10. Entertainment, banquet and reception for the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Fund, under the auspices of Dr. George Lodge, No**